

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Replace the paragraph on page 6, between lines 13-22 of the specification with the following:

Figure 3 shows the steps of a first embodiment of the method according to the invention. Figure 3A shows two information layers, L0 and L1, of an unrecorded record carrier. Each of the information layers comprises an inner control information area 311, 321 located at the inner diameter of the disc, ~~an~~a user information area 301, 302 for recording the user information, and an outer control information area 312, 322 located at the outer diameter of the disc. The outer control information areas are often referred to as the Middle Zone. On a dual layer disc the inner control information zone 311 on the first information layer is often referred to as the Lead-in Area, while the inner control information zone 321 on the second information layer is often referred to as the Lead-out Area. The user information areas 301, 302 are often referred to as the Data Area.